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Amendments to Specification

Please replaced paragraph [0037] with the following amended paragraph:

- [0037] Now the terms in the mixing matrix can be vectors. We further impose the condition that H have the following form:

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{bmatrix} H_{0,0} & 1 \\ H_{1,0} & 0 \end{bmatrix} - \mathbf{H}$$

Please replaced paragraph [0038] with the following amended paragraph:

- [0038] With H defined in this way, it is now possible to connect the terms in the preceding equations with the parameters available in the echo canceller layout shown in Figure 1. Let

 S_0 = echo source signal = $R_{IN} = u[n]$ S_1 = doub - edouble-talk signal $H_{0,0}$ = echo path $H_{1,0}$ = LMS filter coefficients = $\hat{w}[n]$